Windbreak Interpretations

Farmstead windbreaks protect livestock, buildings, and yards from wind and snow. They also protect fruit trees and gardens, and they furnish habitat for wildlife. Several rows of low-growing and high-growing broadleaf and coniferous trees and shrubs provide the most protection.

Field windbreaks are narrow plantings made at right angles to the prevailing wind and at specific intervals across the field. The interval depends on the erodibility of the soil. Field windbreaks protect cropland and crops from wind, help to keep snow on the fields, increase crop yields, and provide food and cover for wildlife.

Each tree or shrub species has certain climatic and physiographic limits. Within these parameters a tree or shrub may be well or poorly suited because of soil characteristics. Each tree or shrub also has definable potentials of height growth based on the soil type and climate.

Information in this subsection, which includes windbreak suitability groups and a windbreak and environmental plantings table, can be used as a guide in planning windbreaks and screens.

This subsection includes:

• (a) Trees and Shrubs for Windbreak and Environmental Plantings

Map symbol	Trees having predicted 20-year average height, in feet, of						
and soil name	<8	8-15 	16-25 	26-35	>35		
73055: Alred	common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	 eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash 			
Rueter	common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash 			
73139: Poynor	 fragrant sumac; ninebark; St.	 eastern redcedar; possumhaw;	 arborvitae; bur oak; green hawthorn;	 			
Clarksville	Johnswort	roughleaf dogwood; Washington hawthorn eastern redbud;	post oak common serviceberry;	honeylocust; pin oak			
CIAIRSVIIIE	coralberry; fragrant sumac	eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	hickory; northern red oak; white ash 			
Scholten	common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash 			
73140: Clarksville	common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	 eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash			

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73140: (cont) Scholten	 common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	 eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash 	 	
73141: Firebaugh	common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	 eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash 	 	
73142: Firebaugh	common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash		
73143: Courtois	 American hazelnut; fragrant sumac; southern arrowwood 	American plum; blue spruce; eastern hophornbeam; eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; roughleaf dogwood	arborvitae; common serviceberry; sugar maple	northern red oak; tuliptree; white ash; white oak	eastern white pine 	
73144: Courtois	 American hazelnut; fragrant sumac; southern arrowwood 	 American plum; blue spruce; eastern hophornbeam; eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; roughleaf dogwood	 arborvitae; common serviceberry; sugar maple 	northern red oak; tuliptree; white ash; white oak	eastern white pine	

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73145: Crider	American hazelnut; fragrant sumac; southern arrowwood	American plum; blue spruce; eastern hophornbeam; eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; roughleaf dogwood	arborvitae; common serviceberry; sugar maple 	northern red oak; tuliptree; white ash; white oak	eastern white pine		
73146: Marquand	 American hazelnut; fragrant sumac; southern arrowwood	 American plum; blue spruce; eastern hophornbeam;	 arborvitae; common serviceberry; sugar maple	 northern red oak; tuliptree; white ash; white oak	 eastern white pine 		
	Southern arrowwood	eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; roughleaf dogwood	maple	asir wille oak			
73147: Fourche	American hazelnut; fragrant sumac; southern arrowwood	American plum; blue spruce; eastern hophornbeam; eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; roughleaf dogwood	 arborvitae; common serviceberry; sugar maple 	northern red oak; tuliptree; white ash; white oak	eastern white pine 		
73148: Jonca	 common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	 eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash	 		
73149: Caneyville	 fragrant sumac; ninebark; St. Johnswort	 eastern redcedar; possumhaw; roughleaf dogwood; Washington hawthorn	green hawthorn; post oak	 Austrian pine; green ash; hackberry; honeylocust; pin oak	 		

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73149: (cont) Bucklick	 American hazelnut; fragrant sumac; southern arrowwood 	American plum; blue spruce; eastern hophornbeam; eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; roughleaf dogwood	arborvitae; common serviceberry; sugar maple 		eastern white pine		
73150:							
Caneyville	fragrant sumac; ninebark; St. Johnswort 	eastern redcedar; possumhaw; roughleaf dogwood; Washington hawthorn	green hawthorn; post oak	Austrian pine; green ash; hackberry; honeylocust; pin oak	 		
Bucklick	American hazelnut; fragrant sumac; southern arrowwood	American plum; blue spruce; eastern hophornbeam; eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; roughleaf dogwood	arborvitae; common serviceberry; sugar maple 	northern red oak; tuliptree; white ash; white oak 	eastern white pine		
73151:					[]		
Caneyville	fragrant sumac; ninebark; St. Johnswort 	eastern redcedar; possumhaw; roughleaf dogwood; Washington hawthorn	green hawthorn; post oak	Austrian pine; green ash; hackberry; honeylocust; pin oak	 		
Gasconade			 !		 I		
Bucklick	 American hazelnut; fragrant sumac 	American plum; blue ; spruce; eastern hophornbeam; eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; roughleaf dogwood	 arborvitae; common serviceberry; sugar maple; white oak 		eastern white pine 		

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73152: Lily	 American hazelnut; coralberry; flameleaf sumac 	 American plum; blue spruce; eastern redcedar; gray dogwood; Washington hawthorn	persimmon; post oak; shingle oak	 Austrian pine; black oak 		
Ramsey	 		 	 		
73153: Lily	 American hazelnut; coralberry; flameleaf sumac	American plum; blue spruce; eastern redcedar; gray dogwood; Washington hawthorn	persimmon; post oak; shingle oak	 Austrian pine; black oak 		
Ramsey	 I		 	 		
73154: Ramsey	 	 	 	 		
Rock outcrop						
73155: Gasconade	 	 	 	 		
Rock outcrop	 		 	 		
73156: Alred	 common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash		
Gepp	 fragrant sumac; ninebark; St. Johnswort 	 eastern redcedar; possumhaw; roughleaf dogwood; Washington hawthorn	green hawthorn; post oak	 Austrian pine; green ash; hackberry; honeylocust; pin oak		

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73157: Captina	 common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	 eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash 	 	
74644: Deible	common buttonbush;	 possumhaw; sandbar willow 	 black willow; bur oak; green hawthorn 	 baldcypress; green ash; pecan; red maple; swamp white oak; sweetgum	 eastern cottonwood; silver maple 	
74645: Higdon	 American hazelnut; common ninebark; wild hydrangea	American plum; blue spruce; possumhaw; roughleaf dogwood	arborvitae; bur oak; green hawthorn; shingle oak	 Austrian pine; baldcypress; hackberry; pin oak; red maple	American sycamore; eastern cottonwood; eastern white pine	
74646: Cornwall	 common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash 	 	
74647: Cornwall	common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	 eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash 	 	
74648: Aslinger	 common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash 	 	

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74649: Aslinger	 common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash 	 		
Waben	common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash	 		
74650: Higdon	 American hazelnut; common ninebark; wild hydrangea 	American plum; blue spruce; possumhaw; roughleaf dogwood	arborvitae; bur oak; green hawthorn; shingle oak	 Austrian pine; baldcypress; hackberry; pin oak; red maple	American sycamore; eastern cottonwood; eastern white pine		
74684: Racoon	common buttonbush;	possumhaw; sandbar willow	 black willow; bur oak; green hawthorn	 baldcypress; green ash; pecan; red maple; swamp white oak; sweetgum	 eastern cottonwood; silver maple 		
75381: Bearthicket	 American hazelnut; common ninebark; wild hydrangea	American plum; blue spruce; possumhaw; roughleaf dogwood	arborvitae; bur oak; green hawthorn; shingle oak	 Austrian pine; baldcypress; hackberry; pin oak; red maple	American sycamore; eastern cottonwood; eastern white pine		
75395: Jamesfin	 American hazelnut; common ninebark; wild hydrangea 	American plum; blue spruce; possumhaw; roughleaf dogwood	arborvitae; bur oak; green hawthorn; shingle oak	 Austrian pine; baldcypress; hackberry; pin oak; red maple	 American sycamore; eastern cottonwood; eastern white pine 		

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75408: Secesh	- common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	 eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash 	 	
75409: Relfe	- common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash 	 	
75410: Relfe	- common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash 	 	
75411: Tilk	- common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash	 	
75416: Gladden	- American hazelnut; common ninebark; wild hydrangea	American plum; blue spruce; possumhaw; roughleaf dogwood	arborvitae; bur oak; green hawthorn; shingle oak	 Austrian pine; baldcypress; hackberry; pin oak; red maple	American sycamore; eastern cottonwood; eastern white pine	
77000: Killarney	- common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash 	 	

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77000: (cont) Frenchmill	common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	 eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash 		
77001: Loughboro	fragrant sumac; ninebark; St. Johnswort	 eastern redcedar; possumhaw; roughleaf dogwood; Washington hawthorn	green hawthorn; post oak	 Austrian pine; green ash; hackberry; honeylocust; pin oak		
77002: Delassus	common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash		
77003: Delassus	common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash		
77004: Irondale	common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	 eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash		
77005: Hassler	common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	 eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash 		

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77005: (cont) Syenite	common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash 		
77006: Roselle	 		 	 		
77007: Taumsauk	 		 	 		
Irondale	common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash 		
Rock outcrop	 		 	 		
77008: Hassler	common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash		
77009: Trackler	 common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash 		
77010: Trackler	 common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash		

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77010: (cont) Irondale	 common ninebark; coralberry; fragrant sumac	 eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; flowering dogwood; gray dogwood	common serviceberry; persimmon; post oak; red pine; shingle oak; shortleaf pine	 black oak; mockernut hickory; northern red oak; white ash 	 		
78250: Skrainka	American hazelnut; fragrant sumac; southern arrowwood	American plum; blue spruce; eastern hophornbeam; eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; roughleaf dogwood	arborvitae; common serviceberry; sugar maple		 eastern white pine 		
78251: Skrainka	American hazelnut; fragrant sumac; southern arrowwood	American plum; blue spruce; eastern hophornbeam; eastern redbud; eastern redcedar; roughleaf dogwood	arborvitae; common serviceberry; sugar maple 	northern red oak; tuliptree; white ash; white oak	 eastern white pine 		
99001: Water	 	 	 	 	 		
99006: Udipsamments	 	 	 	 	 		
99008: Udorthents	 	 	 	 	 		
Dumps	 	 	 	 	 		